

WOLSELEY TO HELP LOOKS LIKE DEFEAT

Starts For South Africa Which Results in Gossip.

It is Believed That He Will Help Out Kitchener in the Boer War.

THE BOERS SUCCEED IN ESCAPING

The World's Fair Bill Was Not Taken Up in the House This Morning.

Big Appropriations Made For the Eddyville Penitentiary Today.

OTHER LATE NEWS BY WIRE

London, March 15.—Field Marshal Lord Wolseley will start for Cape Town today. Although the officials deny that his trip is anything but a private visit, gossip connects it with the military situation.

It is pointed out that Lord Wolseley's knowledge of South Africa, gained as a fighter and administrator, might be highly useful to Lord Kitchener, either at the base, Cape Town, or at Pretoria.

Lord Wolseley, himself, says his trip is entirely private.

Colonel Frank Rhodes and Arthur Rhodes, brothers of Cecil Rhodes, and Lady Methuen will be passengers on the steamer which will take Lord Wolseley to Cape Town.

BOERS MAKE THEIR ESCAPE.

Heilbron, Orange River Colony, March 15.—Commandant Mantz, with the Heilbron command of Boers, broke through the Heilbron-Wolseley block house line at Gottenburg.

The Boers had been pursued for several days. So far as known only one Boer was killed. The British columns, during the course of the pursuit of Commandant Mantz, picked up scattered parties of Boers, aggregating fifty men.

LARGE CROWDS

MUCH INTEREST CONTINUES AT THE FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

The protracted meeting at the First Christian church continues to draw large crowds each evening, and much interest is being manifested. Rev. F. G. Tyrrell preached a strong sermon last night on "Thoughtfulness," from Isa. 1:8, "My people doth not consider." Isaiah was essentially a preacher of the city and he spoke burning words to the city people of his time. That they are applicable to this day and time is evidenced by Mr. Tyrrell's points last night which were very forceful in regard to this strenuous life today that is crowding thoughtfulness of God from the minds of many, even professing Christians. The people who received the reprove of Isaiah were a people zealous for the maintenance of the externals of religion, which is another danger of to-day.

Tomorrow afternoon there will be three services at the same hour in this church. Mr. Tyrrell will conduct the one for men only. Mrs. Gay Williamson of Illinois, the one for ladies, and Mr. Williamson the one for children, these will be held in the auditorium, Sunday school room, and above stairs respectively. Mr. Tyrrell, will also, fill the pulpit at the church hours.

Mr. Guy Williamson leads the song service which is excellent. He is assisted by his wife.

ANOTHER POWDER EXPLOSION.

Cleveland, March 15.—By an explosion in the powder mixing department of the Fairmount Manufacturing company, 2294 Euclid avenue, one girl lost her life and seven people were seriously injured.

A GENEROUS DONATION.

Danville, Ky., March 15.—Thomas H. Swope of Kansas City has contributed \$50,000 to Central University.

THE MARKETS.

(Reported daily by ARENZ & GILBERT.)

	OPEN	CLOSE
WHEAT -1	75	75 1/2
May	75	75 1/2
July	75	75 1/2
CORN—		
May	62	62 1/2
July	62	62 1/2
WORL—		
May	15 45	15 45
July	15 55	15 55
LARD—		
May	9 40	9 40
July	9 50	9 50
KRIS—		
May	8 40	8 42
July	8 52	8 52

WEEK'S NEWS IN THE BUSINESS WORLD.

Clearings this week, \$553,380.

Same week last year \$500,562.

Increase, \$52,818.

Wholesale grocers and commission men report a very active trade the past week. The opening of the weather and better conditions of the roads,

although they are still in a bad condition, has enabled the traveling men to make their usual rounds.

Whiskey houses report business as satisfactory.

The hardware trade is good.

The harness and collar trade is fair.

Stocks on hand are ample.

Retail trade with the dry goods people the past week was splendid, the spring shoppers taking advantage of the several fine days.

The furniture stores, too, had good

retail trade this week.

The bicycle dealers report trade opening up slowly.

With the hardware men trade has been very good. The farmers are laying in supplies for the season ahead.

The local implement houses too have been busy all the week waiting on country trade and report very satisfactory business so far.

The farmers are bringing in lots of tobacco. Every local dealer has had his hands full this week handling the large number of wagons that have come in.

The mills and lumber men report spring business opening up well.

There is a good deal of building and repairing throughout the city and trade in this line has been good.

BANK CHANGE.

CITIZENS' BANK AT FULTON MADE THE CITY NATIONAL.

The Citizens' bank of Fulton will in about a week be changed to the City National bank of Fulton. The capital stock has been increased to \$75,000, and the following officers chosen: Smith Fields, re-elected president; W. C. Croft, vice president; C. E. Rice, cashier; N. G. Cooke, assistant cashier.

Our job work can't be excelled.

PIONEER RIVER MAN GONE.

Frankfort, Ky., March 15.—Captain Sam Sanders, the pioneer boatman of the Kentucky river, died today at his home here.

ANOTHER TRIAL.

GRAVES COUNTY SLANDER SUIT TO BE HEARD FOR THE THIRD TIME.

Mayfield has a slander suit that seemingly can't be ousted from the docket. Miss Minnie Nicholson of that county sued D. R. Merritt for \$10,000 for alleged slander about three years ago. When the case was first tried the defendant won and a new hearing was asked, denied and the case was taken to the court of appeals. It was reversed and sent back for another hearing. In the second trial the plaintiff was awarded 1 cent and costs and an appeal taken. The court of appeals has just reversed again, and the case now comes back for another trial. The young lady formerly lived near Kansas, Graves county, but now resides in Ballard.

SHERIFF OF MARSHALL COUNTY HERE WITH A PRISONER.

Sheriff Reeves, of Marshall county, arrived in the city this afternoon from Benton, with John Childers, white, who was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary for malicious assault on the person of Tom Dunn. The assault was made some time ago near Hardin and the conviction was the only one in the criminal term of court. He will be taken to Eddyville this afternoon.

FOR EDDYVILLE

CALDWELL COUNTY OFFICER FINED IN POLICE COURT TODAY.

W. F. Askridge, a marshal in one of Caldwell county's little towns, was presented in police court this morning on three charges, one for carrying concealed a pistol, one for flourishing a pistol and the other for a breach of the peace. He created a disturbance in a down town saloon. Two of the cases, on motion of the prosecuting attorney, were dismissed, and he was fined \$50 and costs and sentenced to ten days in jail for carrying a pistol concealed.

Jesse Wright, alias Agnew, was fined \$1 and costs for a plain drunk.

A breach of the peace case against Ella Hill and Walter Shannon was continued.

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SPEAKING of the DEVIL

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Kentuckians Were Sight-Seeing in Gotham When They Became Acquainted.

GREAT BRIDGE BUILDER HAPPY

A Democratic Candidate For Congress to Be Chosen May 24th.

The First District Committee Met Here This Morning—Emery Recognized For McCracken.

THE MEETING WAS HARMONIOUS

A New York dispatch says of the marriage of Miss Mira R. Gould of Paducah to Captain Leffert Lefferts Buck of New York:

Colonel Buck is sixty-two years old and was regarded as a confirmed bachelor. Colonel Buck met some old Kentucky friends at his home, 46 East Twenty-first street, and with the party was Miss Gould. They were sight-seeing, and the greatest marvel they saw was the unfinished bridge, with its narrow footway swinging high over the water. Being venturesome Kentuckians, they wanted to test its dangers. Chief Engineer Buck, tall and rugged, led the way, and the next in line was Miss Gould. The wind was blowing, and the aerial footway was so uncertain a path that the engineer took the girl's hand to help her along, while the more timid turned back.

While they stood there, high above the water, their coats wrapped tight around them and the girl's hair flying in the face of the man who steadied her, he said:

"The building of this bridge has been my dream. When it is finished it will be the greatest bridge in many respects in the world, and then I shall be happy."

Carefully he helped her down the long swaying curve, and the young girl went her way and the engineer his. But they met again when the work on the bridge was further advanced, and it was not so difficult or so dangerous to walk on the middle of the great span. He would not be altogether happy when the bridge was completed, and he told her why. Colonel Buck's best friends say he would not deny it, that while swinging there high over the busy East river he told her that he wished she would share his honors with him.

She asked him to "help her down to earth first" and then she would answer him. She finally told him not to give up hope, but that he must come to see her in the Bluegrass State, and there she would give him her final answer.

Colonel Buck has just returned from Kentucky, and he said: "I won't say a word about it, but I don't believe I'll ever come down to earth again."

"Has the day been set?" he was asked.

"Not yet," he replied, without thinking, "but next June will do to talk about it."

GOT OFF LIGHT.

AND F. T. BOWLING SAYS HE WAS DAMAGED \$500 THEREBY.

A suit was filed in the circuit court yesterday afternoon late by F. T. Bowling against George Potts for \$500 damages on the grounds of a breach of contract.

The petition states that the plaintiff entered into a contract with defendant to work for him at the rate of \$1.50 per day and that soon after he had moved his residence from Graves county to Lone Oak, where he had been employed to work, the defendant discharged him. He says that his household effects were sold at a great sacrifice and that he is damaged to the extent of \$500.

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THE WEATHER.

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See James' column for farm loan terms.

LEFT HIS HAPPY HOME

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SATURDAY, MARCH 15, 1902.

SHUTTING OUT COMPETITION

The public is entitled to consideration in the disposal of public matters. A public library is a public institution and Paducah is to have a public library on a site that must be paid for by the public. In building this library, the public's wishes should be consulted.

One of the principal things in building a library is the selection of an architect. The beauty, substance and utility of an edifice depend almost solely on the architect, and in building a structure that is to belong to the public, and is to be seen, visited and used for perhaps many years, it is reasonable to assume that the public wants the best architect and the most suitable plans that are possible to get. If a man is building a house of his own it is different. He can do as he pleases, and select plans that please his own fancy, whether they be attractive and enduring quality or not. But in acting for the public, men have a far more responsible duty to perform, and they cannot be too careful in discharging their sacred obligation to the people.

When the matter of selecting an architect for the public library here first came up, there was considerable discussion as to how much competition should be allowed. The former city council limited the competition to local architects, and selected one set drawn by a most capable, and a first class architect. But public sentiment was in favor of allowing a wider latitude, and opening the competition to outside architects who wanted an opportunity simply to submit their plans. There was no harm in this, and it had an element of fairness about it to which no one could reasonably object. The present city council realized this, and seemed to thoroughly understand public sentiment in the matter. It did not endorse the action of its predecessor, and held the project in abeyance until recently, when trustees were appointed.

These trustees are all well known, capable gentlemen, but in providing plans for the library, they have shut out not only outside, but all competition.

Judging from what has been heard in many quarters since then, the public in general believes a mistake has been made. A number of architects desired and still desire, to offer drawings, and while perhaps none could be submitted that would be better or more suitable than the plans that will be furnished by the architect selected, it would be only fair to the public and to the architects, to give all an equal show. If the plans of a local architect are selected at the best offered, it would be very gratifying to know that our architects are inferior to none. If the plans of some outside architect are adopted, it would only indicate that he happened to have the best. Architects in the larger cities often draw plans for mammoth structures thousands of miles away and structures that they never see. If the plans are accurately drawn, and it is presumed that a good architect would draw them no other way, and the contract is let to a competent contractor, which it would be the duty of the trustees to do, there is no reason to anticipate any trouble, or any necessity for a visit from the architect, no matter where he might reside. This would indicate the feasibility of outside competition. We can't

builders, as a criterion to go by in Paducah. Our contractors are fully capable of erecting a building from the most intricate plans, if accurately drawn, without the architect's ever being seen. Desired changes might necessitate the presence of the architect, but after plans are carefully examined and adopted, there should be no changes. This view should do away with the objection to outside competition.

But if the trustees are firm in their determination to bar outside competition, they should at least give all the home men a chance. The public favors it. If plans are submitted by our architects, and the choice of the trustees is that of the architect already chosen, it will satisfy the public, the architects, and show that the trustees had admirable judgment in making their selection.

But as it stands the public seems dissatisfied. The trustees might find it advisable to reconsider its action, and permit architects to submit plans in a fair, impartial competition.

AN UNIQUE FIGHT.

The authorities in New York City are fighting for open saloons on Sunday. The contest is waxing quite warm, and the district attorney, a very able man, has sent to the legislature a brief showing cause why the excise law should pass. Some of the reasons are broad and unique, and augur a new era of municipal government in New York. It has been claimed for some time that one reason for so much corruption, blackmail and vice in the large cities is the stringent, intolerant laws that are totally out of keeping with the spirit of the people, and the demands of the place.

A few of the attorney's reasons are:

"Under Democratic forms of government a law is not permanently enforceable by elected authorities where a large number of persons in the locality don't consider the act forbidden as immoral in itself, and are unwilling to yield willing obedience to the law.

"In Greater New York there are a large number of people who don't consider it immoral to enter a saloon and take a drink on Sunday. New York is a cosmopolitan city and its inhabitants, being citizens and voters, have a right to have their wishes respected, and their tastes and habits considered whether they be foreign-born or native born.

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(Buffalo News.)

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The virtue of one dose is so small you can't see any change. But add together all the little virtues from all the little doses and the effect is very marked.

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The fact that Scott's Emulsion can be taken for so long a time without the slightest inconvenience is greatly in its favor as a medicine for consumptives. Such a medicine gives itself time to do good.

It makes new flesh and

President McKinley with more of the eloquence of truth on his lips. Associated with him in conducting the affairs of the nation, admiring his character from an intimate personal acquaintance, and knowing full well the patriotic and unselfish endeavors of the man, Mr. Smith was as one specially privileged to speak in praise of the martyred president. During the events preceding the Spanish war Mr. Smith describes the president:

"Of all men in the land, he was the coolest, the calmest and the most clear-sighted. Profoundly moved, anxious beyond all expression, he was, with his waking hours, and his sleepless couch filled with brooding care, but tranquil, self-contained, sure of his own heart and sure of his own loyalty and unselfish aim."

President McKinley was in all phases of his eventful life the same courageous, intelligent and earnest man as he is described in the above sentence.

England may not be a free and independent government, but sometimes they get pretty liberal in expressing their sentiments over there. A couple of councillors in Battersea borough the other day openly opposed an appropriation for entertainment in commemoration of the coronation, and had the temerity to declare that "the King was nothing but a figurehead," and that all kings looked alike to them. And only a few days previous members of parliament cheered when the announcement of General Methuen's capture and the disaster to British troops was made. It seems England is getting almost as bad as the United States for treasonable utterances. It hasn't been many years since such declarations would have been followed by a second class funeral.

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Another war involving Europe is now talked of. According to what some consider eminent authority the Japanese are spoiling for a fight with Russia, and expect if they can't handle the Bear without help that England will render aid and precipitate a conflict in which all European nations will participate. But it sounds like the same old rumor rehashed.

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holding office and having elections that they threaten a revolution if the treaty is not ratified. It's a wonder the Filipinos couldn't be equally as good.

Jim Younger, the paroled bandit, wanted to get married, but discovered that he was legally dead. He was fortunate in finding it out before instead of afterwards.

The Elks' carnival will be the biggest thing of the year. The more people boost it the bigger it will be, and the bigger it is the better it will be for Paducah.

The newspaper correspondents are making desperate efforts to kill off Count Tolstoi and Cecil Rhodes, but thus far with doubtful results.

It is suggested that the city council be put in the "Country Store" at the carnival and raffled off at ten cents a chance.

A SAD DEATH.

MRS. MARY MC'DOLOM, AN ES-
TIMABLE CHRISTIAN, A
VICTIM OF CON-
SUMPTION.

Mrs. Mary McCollom, a well known and highly respected lady of Elizabeth street, near Sixth, died last night at 10 o'clock from consumption, after a long illness. Mrs. McCollom had suffered for quite awhile from the disease, and recently went to San Antonio, Tex., but was not benefited, and had to return home. Since then death had been only a matter of a short time.

The deceased was twenty-four years old, and a daughter of Master Commissioner Gip Husband. She was a kind, patient Christian and had borne her suffering with much fortitude. A husband, Mr. John McCollom, and four-year-old son, survive.

The funeral will be held tomorrow

afternoon at 2:30 from the residence.

burial at Oak Grove.

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THE ELKS

BUTTONS HAVE BEEN ORDER-
ED—PIANO TO BE
DONATED.

The soliciting committee of the Elks is meeting with great encouragement in its visits to the merchants. The latter part of next week a list of the contributions will be published. The buttons for the carnival have been ordered and are expected shortly. The Country Store is going to be one of the greatest things ever seen, and there will be so many things to place in it will have to be very large.

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THURSDAY,
MARCH 20.

The exquisite taste and beauty of the hat models to be exhibited at this opening will represent the highest art known to the millinery trade for the Spring Season of 1902. Style, beauty and becomingness are characteristic features that will add still greater fame this season to our reputation as makers and trimmers of the handsomest and most becoming hats in Paducah.

Our well known low prices will prevail again during this millinery season.

A skirt, suit and spring jacket opening also on Thursday, March 20th.

A prominent manufacturer has arranged to give us an opening on that date of spring suits, net, silk and woolen skirts, silk etons and woolen jackets. It is an event that will interest all ladies who like swell styles and exclusive suits, skirts or other garment, as no two alike will be sold.

You are cordially invited to attend both of these openings and bring your friends.

We are showing some phenomenal bargains in walking skirts.

SPRING DRESS GOODS

Our dress goods section is filled with rich, beautiful and choice weaves. An immense stock of both black and colored fabrics marked at prices that have been creating lots of purchases. Take advantage of the inducements we are offering.

GOOD MAKES OF
MUSLIN UNDER-

TIPS

Solves the problem. Anything you need or do not need, "TIPS" will secure or dispose of for you.

Yes Sir!

The old adage, "Make Hay while the Sun shines" is very true. ::::

The Sun of Prosperity shines on the merchant who uses THE SUN'S columns. ::::

Mr. Merchant, now is the time to Strike for the SPRING TRADE. You can find no better hammer than a SUN ad

About People And Social Notes.

Mr. E. B. Prosser, of the B. and O., is in the city today.

Prof. Frank May returned from Fulton at noon today.

Mr. J. J. Dufour, of New York, is in the city on business.

Captain Charles Webb, of Smithland, was in the city today.

Miss Mabel Weeks went to Hopkinsville today at noon to visit.

Mrs. C. S. Brooking, of the city, is visiting her parents at Ogden's Landing.

Commonwealth's Attorney John L. Grayot, of Smithland, was in the city today.

Supervisor W. C. Waggener, of Central City, was in the city today on business.

Mr. J. M. Worten returned to the city at noon today after a business trip to Clinton.

Miss Mary Morton will arrive from Louisville this evening to visit her mother, Mrs. Addie G. Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Ogilvie and L. B. Ogilvie, Jr., have returned from a several weeks' stay in Asheville, N. C.

The many friends of Mrs. Elizabeth Augustus will regret to learn that she is very ill at the home of her parents, Mrs. A. Weikert.

Mrs. L. W. Boswell returned from Fulton this morning after a visit to her son, Mr. Mott Ayres, who accompanied her to the city.

Mrs. John Rock and Mrs. Otto Loehr and two children, from Cleveland, O., arrived last evening on a visit to Mr. John Rock and family.

Miss Virginia Lesh sang last night at a concert in Metropolis. She returned home today accompanied by Miss Daisy Bartlett Kistler of Vienna College, Vienna, Ill., who will visit her for a short time.

DIED TODAY.

MRS. IDA BROWN A VICTIM OF CONSUMPTION—LEAVES A FAMILY.

Mrs. Ida Brown, aged twenty-four, died this morning about 10 o'clock from consumption at her home, 439 South Second street, after a long illness. She was wife of Mr. Wm. Brown, a ship carpenter, and leaves a child one year old. Her home was formerly at Ford's Ferry, Ky.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, burial at Oak Grove.

DONATIONS.

The ladies of the board of the Home of the Friendless wish to extend their sincere thanks to the following contributors to the home in February.

A list of donations will be published monthly from now on.

Thanks are due the Paducah Coal and Mining Co. for 100 bushels of coal. Langstaff & Co., one load kindling wood.

Mr. Hawkins, 100 bushels chicken feed.

Mrs. Dabney's Sunday school class, one-half barrel of flour.

Messrs. Humphrey, Gockel, Krementz and Kirchoff, bread and cakes.

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Mrs. Meyers, hobby-horse.

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Mrs. Gilson, provisions.

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GREAR'S NEW PLACE.

Today Mr. Julian Grear opens to the public the "Ideal Market." This is a new feature in Paducah and has long been needed. Paducah is getting larger and our citizens will appreciate Mr. Grear's efforts in this new enterprise as it will give us the advantages and convenience only found in larger cities. You can now get meat, fish, game, vegetables, oysters and in fact everything on the market at any hour of the day. Mr. Grear has in connection with his market quite a large refrigerating machine and cold storage, all of which show that Mr. Grear believes in keeping up with the times. If you want something good to eat give him a call.

SPECIAL SALE CHERRY PRESERVES

Saturday and Monday,

March 15 and 17.

Heinz's Two-pound Glass Jar

Cherry Preserves at 3c, worth 50c

This is absolutely the finest bargain ever offered in Paducah. You always pay 50c for this package. 598 in stock. Buy as many as you want. I'll buy them back any time at 3c. Good way to make money. You save 1c on each jar at

E. W. BOCKMON'S, The Grocer.
Phone 259. Cor. Seventh and Court.

WORKMAN PAINFULLY HURT.

John Leroy, an employee at the Armour building at First and Broadway, was injured yesterday afternoon

\$25,000 BUILDING

Y. M. C. A. Conference Results in a Decision to Build One.

The Canvass Will Probably Begin Shortly
—Efforts to Get Mr. Geo. T. Houser.

The board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. and Secretary H. E. Rosevear, of the state Y. M. C. A. held a conference yesterday afternoon to discuss the Y. M. C. A. home project. It was decided that a \$25,000 building be built here and a committee will shortly be appointed by President D. M. Flournoy to start a canvass for the subscriptions. The merchants have expressed their approval of the project and have promised to donate liberally to the fund.

The location has not been decided but but will after the canvass has been started. In some cities the association built in the business portion of the town and rooms rented for business purposes while other buildings are used exclusively for social purposes and the spare rooms are rented to young men for lodging. This is the more favored plan and it is probable that this kind of building will be erected.

A conference will be held soon and the services of Mr. George T. Houser of Chicago a noted worker in this cause, secured to help push the canvass. Mr. Houser will be heard from shortly and it is hoped that he will consent to work here. He has a contract with associations in Massachusetts that hold good for the next six months and it is feared that he will be unable to break them.

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The Stag will set a fine oyster soup lunch tonight.

The plans, details and specifications for the house of Mr. Rabb Noble have been received from St. Louis. Mr. M. P. McAdams is the architect. The house will be located on West Jefferson Avenue.

Strawberries, Lettuce, New Beets and Cauliflower at Jake Biederman Gro. Co's.

A city tax collector is to be elected by the city council at the first regular meeting in April. There are now four applicants. Meers, Wm. Kraus, incumbent, and Sol Vaughn, J. Henry Smith and J. H. Johnson.

Our Strawberries just came in, order them for your Sunday dinner, at Jake Biederman Gro. Co's.

The twenty-five badges for special police who will be on duty during the carnival arrived last night.

Oysters at Ideal Market. Phone 742 for Ideal market.

The case of Marshall county against R. H. Starks, formerly sheriff, for \$3,000 alleged to be due will be tried here the first day of next month before Judge Husbands, by agreement. It came up at Benton yesterday.

Go to "Ideal Market" for fine meat and fowl. No. 512 Broadway.

The Elks committee meets tomorrow to decide on the method of selecting a queen, and the details of the contest, which promises to be interesting.

Go to the Ideal Market for Red Snapper, Blue Salmon, Whitefish, Shrimp, Smelts, etc. No. 512 Broadway.

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VERY THRILLING

But the Police Here Know Nothing About it.

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Yesterday's Fulton Leader contained an account of an alleged hold-up that is said to have occurred in the Illinois Central yards here night before last. It says:

"News has reached Fulton of a big hold-up at Paducah last night. The report is that a drummer who was walking along the Illinois Central tracks in the yards at Paducah on his way to the depot and when he reached a dark place along the route was attacked by four negroes. He was brained by a large piece of iron by one of the negroes and \$22 in money and a gold watch were stolen from him. His loud shouts for help were heard by Less Dennington, of Fulton, who is a flagman and was preparing to leave Paducah for Fulton. Mr. Dennington ran to the assistance of the drummer and was himself knocked in the head by one of the negroes. Conductor Avery of the same train also heard the shouts and ran to the scene. He pulled a revolver and held three of the negroes, the fourth one escaping. The negroes were turned over to the officers and locked up. Mr. Dennington was not badly hurt, but did not regain consciousness until he reached Mayfield. The drummer was badly injured and may not recover. We were unable to learn his name. His valuables were recovered."

Nothing is known here of such an occurrence, and Marshal Crow stated this morning that he had heard nothing of it, and was certain no one had been arrested. A report similar to the above was current in the shop yards this morning, but no one knew anything about it.

IN HEN HOUSE.

THIS IS WHERE THE FIRE IN OAKTON ORIGINATED—
\$15,000 LOSS.

Reports from Oakton, near Hickman, which place was wiped out by fire a few days ago, state that the blaze originated in a chicken house back of Shaw's grocery. Incendiarism is suspected.

Shaw Bros. owned the grocery on the corner next to the railroad and J. D. Wrather and Co. owned a large stock of dry goods, shoes and clothing, which was in the next two rooms. The postoffice was in Wrather's store. Wrather and Skinner's drug store, Jones' meat shop and Wrather and Jones' grocery were also destroyed. The loss will amount to about \$15,000, partly insured.

—Butter, eggs and nice fresh vegetables at Ideal Market, No. 512 Broadway.

—A burn of this nature is great deal more painful than from fire and the man suffered a great deal. His injuries were dressed here.

TWO WEEKS MORE

And the Big Grand Rivers Furnaces Will Start.

Mr. Simmons, of St. Louis, Was Here Today Enroute to the Furnaces.

Mr. E. H. Simmons of the firm of Simmons Hardware Co. of St. Louis passed through the city at noon today enroute to Grand Rivers to look over the progress made in the completion of the improvements to the furnaces there. He stated that the company was putting up hot air furnaces and that this will make the last touch to the big plant and after this is finished the plant will be started up.

"We want to make all the improvements we intend to make before we start up, so that no delay will be occasioned after we once get started.

"It will require," he continued, "about two weeks to finish the work, and then I think there will be no time lost in starting the furnaces and operating the plant."

The plant will be managed by Col. Thos. Scott of St. Louis until the first of the year, and after that Mr. Simmons will take charge, as previously announced.

The company intends to make its stock farm a big feature and already the stock is fast multiplying. At present there are about 300 goats and about 200 head of cattle. The company has fenced in about 10,000 acres, the fencing being about thirty miles in length, if stretched out in one long line.

BUILDERS ASSOCIATION.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
WERE FILED THIS AF-
TERNOON.

Articles of incorporation for the Builders' association, organized by the various contractors of the city a few weeks ago, were filed this afternoon in the county clerk's office. The incorporators are: C. H. Chamblin, president; G. R. Davis, vice president; G. G. Kelley, secretary; J. M. Byrd, treasurer, and J. E. Coulson, doorkeeper. The organization is for the purpose of protecting the interests of the contractors. The association meets every Saturday night.

BADLY HURT

John Tanner, a brother-in-law of Governor W. S. Taylor, employed on the steamer J. M. Bowell, was injured in a peculiar manner yesterday afternoon while at work on the boat. A rope slipped through his hands tearing and burning the thumb of his right hand nearly off. The hand was also burned badly in the palm. A burn of this nature is great deal more painful than from fire and the man suffered a great deal. His injuries were dressed here.

OUR BIG SALE OF

Furniture, Stoves, etc.

Slightly damaged by water, is still going on. Every piece that shows the least spot or damage will be sold at about half price for cash. Nothing charged or exchanged. Don't miss this great offer. Below are some of the goods with inviting prices

50c Chairs	- -	25c
60c Easels	- -	30c
75c Rockers	- -	40c
\$2.00 Rockers	-	\$1.25
\$4.00 Parlor Chairs	\$2.00	
\$6.00 Parlor Chairs	\$3.00	

During this sale special low prices will be made on all goods which are not damaged

\$20 Bed Room Suits	\$12
\$25 Bed Room Suits	\$16
\$16 Parlor Suits	\$8
\$20 Parlor Suits	\$10
\$30 Steel Range	\$18
\$40 Steel Range	\$28

A complete line of Go-Carts, Bicycles and Bicycle Sundries Just Received.

AGENTS FOR THE

CLEVELAND AND CRESCENT BICYCLES

Best wheels for the price made. New wheels from \$12 up. Second-hand wheels from \$5 up. Best equipped Repair Shop in the city. All work guaranteed.

FURNITURE, STOVES AND BICYCLES sold on easy time payments.

JAC. W. CLEAVES & CO.

Paducah's New
Opera House

Groud Floor

THE KENTUCKY

Management
JAMES E. ENGLISH

MONDAY
NIGHT
MARCH
17TH

BARLOW AND WILSON'S GREATER NEW YORK MINSTRELS

Positively the Most Startling Features Ever Known in Minstrelsy.

Watch for the Big Parade at 11:30

TUESDAY
NIGHT
ONLY
MARCH 18

PRICES:
25 Cents to \$1.00

Seats on Sale
Tuesday, 9 a. m.

The Young Romantic Actor,

S. MILLER KENT

Presenting Nat C. Goodwin's Great Success,

The COWBOY And the LADY

(By Clyde Fitch)

With the Entire KNICKERBOCKER THEATRE PRODUCTION,

POPULAR
PRICES

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75c

SEATS
ON SALE
MONDAY
9 A. M.



IN THE THEATRICAL WORLD

Coming attractions at The Kentucky: Monday night, Barlow and Wilson's Minstrels. Tuesday night, The Cowboy and The Lady. Friday night, Labadie's "Faust."

We understand Barlow and Wilson has declared they will yet have the "Greatest Minstrel Attraction America has ever seen." It is evident they have made a start in this direction—Washington, D. C. Daily Times.

If you didn't see "The Cowboy and the Lady" last night you shouldn't miss it tonight. It is one of the best shows Winnipeg has had in many a day.

Reads like a press agent's paragraph that, doesn't it? Perhaps so, but a performance so uniformly good—so delightfully artistic—calls for something more than half hearted praise. There is temptation, indeed, to indulge in superlatives, but the opening paragraph may be accepted as the epitome of an adjective embellished column of unqualified praise, which might be written with sincerity and without exaggeration.

There is no occasion for comparison between the "Teddy North" of S. Miller Kent and that of Nat C. Goodwin. Goodwin is something beyond the artist. He is a genius. There is no living actor that can duplicate his work. Mr. Kent doesn't try to do so. He employs his own individuality; gives his own interpretation. He has the courage to be original; and the

courage furthermore, which few so-called "stars" possess, to surround himself with real actors. He has no fear of being overshadowed and isn't. But if individualizing continue it will be but to praise every member of the excellent supporting company. The minor parts, even supernumerary bits, are as faithfully rendered as the more conspicuous characters.—Free Press, October 18, 1901.

Barlow and Wilson's Minstrels are the best minstrel attraction that has played here this season. It is fun and enjoyment from start to finish, nothing drags, and the singing is the best by long odds that has been heard lately on the local stage—Peoria, Ill., Journal.

Get your razors out. There's going to be Possum-a-dance at the Barlow and Wilson's Minstrels Monday night.

The theme of Adelaide Thurston's new play, "Sweet Clover," in which she will be seen here shortly, is one that ought to appeal to a wide range of playgoers. Twenty years before the curtain rises, Lois Holcombe's mother has deserted husband and babe for an unprincipled artist named Slade. Lois has been brought up in her Connecticut farm home ignorant of her mother's shame, and under the jealous eye of her aged father, who dreads lest the sinful blood of the mother shall yet be revealed in the daughter. But despite the watchful

care, she meets a young and handsome artist named Slade, the adopted son of the very rascal who had ruined her father's home. Her father catches her at night, outside the house in the arms of her secret lover. In the rage of suspicion he accuses her of following in the footsteps of her mother. Then she learns the truth of the domestic tragedy and the villain's name. Thinking that her lover is the son of her mother's paramour and fearing the news will prostrate her old father, she falsely tells him that the man whose arms she has just left was Eldridge Grosvenor, an unloved suitor whose cause has been pressed by the father, and she agrees to marry Grosvenor. Six months afterwards amid fashionable surroundings in the city, the heroine is found the wife of her father's choice, and happy in the love of a truly noble husband. At a tableau party, she meets the young artist whom she threw over. He has just returned from trip abroad. When alone and confronted by him with an accusation of faithlessness, she learns that she erred in thinking him the son of the man who disgraced her home. The discarded lover, in a frenzy, follows husband and wife to their home, after the party. The husband has to leave the city on business that night and his mind is burdened with suspicions of his young wife's fidelity. He goes to take his train. Outside the house it occurs to him that he has forgotten some important papers. He returns for a moment to secure them, leaving the front door ajar. The artist, taking a madman's chances, enters unobserved. The wife, in negligence, thinking her spouse is still at home, leaves her chamber to say a parting word. She descends the stair case calling his name, and finds herself confronted by her old lover. A passionate scene ensues. The wife's sense of honor is outraged and she demands that he depart. The husband, beset with jealous suspicions, returns in time to see the man leaving his house. He believes his wife unfaithful and accuses her. Her protests and prayers are unavailing and he leaves her with the vow that one of them, either he or the man whom he believes has ruined his happiness, must die. The untangling of this complication is told in the last act. To reveal it at this time would rob the intended auditor of the pleasure in witnessing the play. There are two other love stories interwoven with the main theme, and they offer the comic possibilities with which the play is said to abound.

Miss Nora O'Brien who is playing Maxine Elliott's part in "The Cowboy and the Lady" began her professional career with Wilson Barrett during his run of "The Sign of the Cross" in London. Miss O'Brien returned to America and entered into an agreement with Handford and Spencer in a series of classic plays, and the past season played the opposite part to Mrs. LeMoine whose season recently closed.

It was only a few months ago that

S. Miller Kent was playing leads in the Frohman companies. He believed he had the ability to star in Luke the boy of the song he "guessed right the very first time." He has been a success from the very first. He is young, he is vigorous, he is talented; he is not a rancer, just natural, that's all; he acts intelligently, originally, brilliantly at times, and above all he has the proverbial fire and finish of the artist.

"The Cowboy and the Lady" is like a breath of the free hills. We can't help but sigh for another whiff. At The Kentucky Tuesday night.

The great Barlow and Wilson's Minstrels appeared at the Grand Opera house last night. It is the strongest aggregation this company has ever carried and the first part setting is the finest ever seen on the local stage. The monologue work of Barlow and Wilson was exceedingly clever, while the quartette met with round after round of applause; and the work of Marion and Pearl was the greatest novelty seen here this season. Taken all in all it is well named Greater.—Burlington Hawkeye.

or "Ma," was very acceptable, and Estrella, wife of Colonel Bonham, was well presented by Miss Gertrude Perry, while Miss Elsie Esmon, as "Bonita," was a most graceful and captivating personage. John Drury as "Tony," Ben Ringgold as "Dr. Fenlon," Neil Florence as "Captain Hodgman," Chas. E. Mitchell as "Sergeant Keller," Miss Beatrice Ray as "Lena," Geo. T. Meoch as "Colonel Bonham," and John T. Dillon as the Chinese cook interpreted their parts with unusual ability, and the audience demonstrated its appreciation of their excellent work by frequent curtain calls. The next time "Arizona" comes this way it will have a packed house.

Many Uses of Petroleum. Petroleum and its products are applied in surgery and medicine; in the making of ice and the production of light; in paint manufacture and the preparation of oilcloths; in the manipulation of rubber and in washing wool. Where it is cheap, it replaces coal; in almost all modern plants some one of the petroleum derivatives is used for the enrichment of gas. For general lubrication the paraffin oils are the most serviceable.

This signature is on every box of the genuine
Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets

E. W. Grove

the remedy that cures a cold in one day.

The sale of seats for the Jessie Bartlett Davis concert at The Kentucky Tuesday night April 1 for the benefit of the Home of the Friendless, continues and reserved seat coupons will be obtainable and regular seat sale begun at the box office on Thursday, March 27, and to say it will be a rare treat to hear Miss Davis is speaking mildly. One of her songs, "O, Promise Me," is worth the price of admission alone.

TO THE PUBLIC.

After considerable wiring we finally succeeded in getting Mr. Smith, manager of Mr. S. Miller Kent, in "The Cowboy and the Lady," that will be at The Kentucky Tuesday night, to make top prices \$1 instead of \$1.50. "The Cowboy and the Lady" is one of the best attractions that will be at The Kentucky this season. Very truly yours.

J. E. English.

"Arizona" was witnessed for the first time in Paducah last evening by a well pleased audience at The Kentucky. It is one of the most natural, charming plays seen here this season, with its invigorating atmosphere of the West, enlivened by scenes of rough, wholesome life of both ranchman and soldier. The company is one of the best on the road, and the parts fitted the various principals like gloves. There was a delightful coloring to the performance, and it was often but a step from the most amusing to the most pathetic scenes.

Sydney Ainsworth as Lieutenant Denton is happily selected. He is attractive, of splendid physique and has a voice that is pleasing and expressive. One of his strongest scenes is at the end of the second act, and he acts it most admirably. Gruff, but honest and warm-hearted, is Mart E. Heisey as Henry Canby, the ranch owner. Mr. Heisey has been to Arizona and studied the people, and interprets his part with capital ability and realism. Miss Sylvester Cornish as Mrs. Canby,

The Two Winston Churchills. Winston Churchill reaches the advanced age of thirty to-day, but his undoubted powers show no signs of decay. It would be going too far to describe Mr. Churchill as the rising hope of the stern and unbending Tories, because he might be the rising hope of any party. Politicians, unless they are mediocre or firmly anchored to one party by ties of office or family, seldom pursue a career of unblemished consistency as regards the particular label they wear, and it would not surprise many of Mr. Churchill's friends if he were to be found fighting under a banner different from that to which he now gives allegiance. There is, in fact, scarcely anything in his views which would not fit one great party as well as another. This is a month of a double double in birthdays. The two Winston Churchills were both born in the November of 1871, and, whereas the American novelist has written some war articles the English politician and war correspondent has adventured upon a novel. The brace of Winstons, by the way, met in New York a few months ago, and thanked each other for casting so much lustre on the name. The two Glissons, George and Algernon, novelists both have also their birthdays during November.—London Chronicle.

Frog Farming Is Profitable. After laughing at the French people for their frog-eating proclivity the United States is doing very well in that line, for the food commission estimates that we catch in this country about 2,000,000 frogs; that we mastinate their toothsome hind legs for the gratification of our appetites. These frogs, which have been hopping for years more and more into the gastronomic favor, are sought for in all parts of the country, furnishing a paying industry not only for the hunters of them in their natural haunts, but the scores of persons who have frog farms and raise them as they might raise chickens. To these persons the frogs mean an annual investment of \$100,000, according to the report of the commission, and that means \$150,000 to the consumers.—Chicago Journal.

TO CURE GRIP IN TWO DAY. Laxative Bromo-Quinine removes the cause. E. W. Grove's signature on every box. Price 25 cents.

The Kentucky

Management James E. English.

TO-NIGHT Ellery's Royal Italian Band

Ginseppe Creatore Director.

50 Instrumentalists 50 The Band which is to represent the Italian King at the St. Louis Worlds

Fair.

SEATS ARE NOW ON SALE Morning and Night

Prices: 25c, 50, 75c,
\$1.00. Matinee
Prices: 25c, 50c.

EUROPE'S FUTURE QUEENS.

Richest Is Princess of Denmark, the Prettiest of Roumania.

The future queen of Denmark is one of the richest princesses of Europe. She is the daughter of the late King Charles XV. of Sweden and Norway, and inherited enormous wealth from her mother, nee Princess Louise of the Netherlands. She possesses the distinction of being the tallest princess of Europe, and is a strong-willed woman with any amount of pluck and determination.

The prettiest of crown princesses is the wife of Prince Ferdinand of Roumania, in whom English people feel a special interest since she is the eldest daughter of the late duke of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha.

Prince Ferdinand is nephew to the present king of Roumania, who has no children.

Another granddaughter of Queen Victoria's who is a crown princess is the duchess of Sparta, wife of the crown prince of Greece. Her mother was the late Empress Frederick, and she herself is, of course, sister to the German emperor.

Princess Sophia is tall and good looking, and of an amiable disposition.

A brilliantly accomplished woman is the crown princess of Sweden, who unfortunately suffers from delicate health. She is the daughter of the grand duke of Baden and Princess Louise of Prussia—an only daughter of the late Emperor William I. and a sister of the late Emperor Frederick—and married Crown Prince Oscar Gustave of Sweden in 1881.

Their marriage became quite unintentionally an act of historic restitution, for it happens that Princess Victoria of Baden is the great-granddaughter of the banished Swedish King Gustave IV. (Adolf); and thus the great-grandson of Bernadotte led back to Scandinavia the relative of the monarch whom his forefather had chased from the throne.

The young princess who was married toward the end of last year to Prince Albert of Flanders, and who will in the natural course of events one day share with him the throne of Belgium, is the third daughter of Duke Charles Theodore of Bavaria, who lives in Munich, and is famous as an occultist. He has performed over 1,000 serious operations.

The fourth daughter of Duke Charles Theodore of Bavaria—Princess Marie Gabrielle—is also the wife of an heir presumptive. She is married to Prince Rupert of Bavaria, and is considered quite the prettiest and most attractive of the Bavarian princesses.



MR. S. MILLER KENT.
IN "THE COWBOY AND THE LADY"
At The Kentucky Tuesday Night.

THE SUN'S PUZZLE PICTURE.



WILLIAM WAS STUNG BY THE BEES, WHERE IS HE?

The Week in Society.

The Doings of the Smart Set the Past Six Days. Pleasant Events and Personal Mention.

A VIOLET.

Gou does not send us strange flowers every year; When the spring winds blow O'er the pleasant places The same dear things lift Up the same fair faces; The violet is here. It all comes back—the Odor, grace and hue— Each sweet relation of its Life repeated; No blank is left, no Looking-for is cheated; It is the thing we knew. So after death—winter It must be; God will not put strange Signs in heavenly places; The old love shall look out From the old faces— Veilchen! I have thee!

—Mrs. A. D. T. Whitney.

SOME CAUSES THEREOF.

That overworked phrase, "nothing doing," is peculiarly appropriate to Paducah society this week. There is absolutely a dead calm, and no one seems inclined to make it ripple even. Usually there are some small informal, kept quiet as a "sop to the conscience," but even these are "without precedent" this week, or if in existence must have been altogether tote-a-tete, as they are quite beyond the society reporter's ken.

But how is Society employing her rest-time? Well, in not being idle, you may be sure, or else that old adage in regard to Satan and idle hands would be verified, and there would be "plenty a-doing." No. She can be found at church gathering strength for the insistent demands of the more strenuous life when it comes, and she is giving to her club a more diligent attendance, so the soul and mind are receiving attention, and the body is not being altogether neglected, for the whilom society girl is certainly busy sewing. She is evolving the most charming creations that will make the Summer Girl a far more dangerous creature than ever. Just watch for her, ye lords of creation, and bow before her. She will burst upon you in full glory at Easter-tide, for while Easter comes early, if these spring-like days continue the trees and flowers will bud, so why may not the pretty girl don her airy Easter gown and hat? While many things may have contributed to the general quietude, may not the rumors of Easter brides, and brides continuous from then on, be a cause sufficient for much of the unusual stillness, and sewing galore? Of course if she and her bridesmaids are planning their gowns they have not time or inclination for lesser affairs. It is true many say they are preparing for a trip; yes, but there are trips and trips you know. Who are the brides? you ask. Well, really, who are they not? If Dame Rumor is to be relied on most everybody you know will be keeping time to Lohengrin or Mendelssohn this spring or summer.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

The announcement this week of the engagement of Miss Mira R. Gould to

U. D. C. MEETING.

The United Daughters of the Confederacy met with Mrs. John P. Campbell on Tuesday afternoon. It was a large and representative attendance of the chapter and the meeting was a most pleasant social occasion as well. Mrs. Charles E. Graham and Mrs. J. C. Flournoy were received as members; other names for membership were accepted also. Mrs. Thomas E. Moss, the historian, gave an interesting paper on war time history. It was decided to hold a lawn fete at the residence of Mrs. D. G. Murrell as soon as the weather was pleasant. This will be for the benefit of the chapter.

Delightful chocolate and cake were hospitably served by the hostess.

MARRIED LADIES' EUCHRE

CLUB ENTERTAINED.

Mrs. Charles E. Gridley entertained the Married Ladies' Euchre club very delightfully at her pleasant home on North Sixth street on Tuesday afternoon. The first prize was won by Mrs. James Sherrill and the second prize by Mrs. Frank Wahl. An elaborate course luncheon was served after the game.

The club members include: Messamuses A. J. Reitz, E. W. Bockmon, James Sherrill, Pat Lally, Henry Hans, John McHenry, Frank Wahl, Will Katterjohn, I. Young, Harry Meyers, H. G. Harmeling, C. E. Gridley.

D. A. R. MEETING.

The Daughters of the American Revolution held an interesting meeting with Mrs. Hubbard S. Wells on Thursday morning. Mrs. Frank L. Scott read a delightful paper on "The Settlement of the Carolinas and Georgia," and Mrs. Leslie Soule gave a character study of "The Men of That Period." Charming music was furnished by Miss Virginia Lesh and Miss Mayme Dryfus. A fitting complement of the morning's pleasure was the attractive luncheon served by Mrs. Wells.

DELPHIC CLUB MEETING.

An especially pleasant meeting of the Delphic club was enjoyed on Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. Frank L. Scott. Mrs. Richard Parker contributed a very interesting paper to the morning's pleasure on "Goethe at Weimar, 1776-1876, and His Works of This Period." Mrs. Robert Phillips gave a charming account of "Princes and Men of Letters at Weimar." The study of Goethe will occupy the entire month of March and is proving most delightful.

THE COMING WEEK.

The Musical club will meet in the lecture room of the Cumberland Presbyterian church on Monday evening.

Mrs. Robert Becker Phillips is the hostess of the Magazine club on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Wahl will entertain the Married Ladies' Euchre club on Tuesday afternoon.

The Delphic club meets with Mrs. Frank L. Scott on Tuesday morning.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Mrs. Anne Reed has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Montrose P. McArdle of St. Louis.

Miss Hallie Hisey, one of the season's charming debutantes, is attending a house party in Lexington, Ky., at the home of Miss Jennie James.

Mrs. Charles E. Dallam of Henderson, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Muscoe Burnett of the West End, returned home this week.

Miss Faith Langstaff reached New Orleans this week en route for Pass Christian. She and her grandfather, Colonel Quigley, were caught in the Mississippi cyclone and had a narrow escape, being on the Chicago limited that suffered much damage and was delayed by the high wind.

The going of Mr. Ollie Allard to New York City to reside will be a great loss to the life and pleasure of Paducah's younger society set, of which Mr. Allard is a most popular member. He has accepted a position with the Adams express company there and carries with him the best wishes of a host of friends hereabouts.

MISS FLORA MAY CLARK.

Quite an ovation was accorded Miss Flora May Clark in her home town on Monday evening at The Kentucky, when she played Lygia in "Quo Vadis?" The audience was not only large and representative, but most enthusiastic. After the performance a banquet was given in her honor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Clark, that was quite a delightful occasion. The house was prettily decorated and the menu was most elaborate. Quite a number of guests were present, including the "Quo Vadis?" company, some out-of-town friends and visitors and a number of strollers of the March Munsey. It

was entitled "Out of the West" and is aid in California and deals with the Chinese servant question in a very amusing and original way. It is really quite clever and shows that the author is not destitute of that saving sense of humor that is not claimed as an attribute of the "eternally feminine" writer.

Of the marriage of Miss Alma Reis of Evansville, who has often been a popular visitor in Paducah, to Mr. Sydney Mitchell of Memphis, on Wednesday evening an Evansville dispatch says: "Miss Alma Reis, the beautiful daughter of Henry Reis, cashier of the Old National bank, was married this evening to Sydney Mitchell of Memphis, at the home of the bride's parents. It was a beautiful home wedding. The officiating clergyman was Rev. J. L. Marques of Grace Presbyterian church. The house was filled with the society people of the city, of which Miss Reis has been a prominent figure for several years. Miss Denly was the maid of honor, but the groom was not attended. A luncheon was served after the nuptials, when the young couple left on a brief honeymoon to St. Louis. They will be at home in Memphis after April 20."

The club members include: Messamuses A. J. Reitz, E. W. Bockmon, James Sherrill, Pat Lally, Henry Hans, John McHenry, Frank Wahl, Will Katterjohn, I. Young, Harry Meyers, H. G. Harmeling, C. E. Gridley.

Music—West End orchestra.

Recitation—Laura Harper.

Music—Orchestra.

Debate—"Resolved, That capital punishment be abolished." Affirmative, T. B. Rouse, Lon Shields, John Wilkins; negative, Fred Rouse, Annie Rouse, Mrs. Ranney.

Music—Orchestra.

Solo and quartet—J. S. Ragsdale, Mamie Bell, Alice Sanderson, Willie Rouse.

Music—Comb orchestra.

Recitation—Mrs. Poole.

Solo—Miss Critchfield.

Music—West End orchestra.

ANSWER FILED.

DR. BARBER REPLIES TO HIS WIFE'S PETITION FOR DIVORCE.

An answer in the big Barber divorce suit in Calloway county will be prepared today by Attorney William Reed, for the defendant, Dr. Frank Barber.

Some time ago Mrs. Barber, wife of the well-known Murray doctor, filed suit against him for divorce, the custody of her child, \$5,000 alimony, \$1,200 per year maintenance and for the recovery of property alleged to be hers and valued at \$20,000.

Both parties of the suit are in the city and the defendant will make his answer discrediting all and claiming that she, the plaintiff, left his house without cause whatever, and also claiming that she is not entitled to the child.

This is one of the biggest divorce suits filed in that county for some time.

MARRY AT BARDWELL.

Mr. James Leigh, a wood worker in the Illinois Central shop, leaves today for Bardwell, where tomorrow he will be married to Miss Mollie Lynn, a charming young lady of that place.

They will return Monday and reside at the Leigh residence on South Seventh street.

—MAY CURE CANCER.

New York, March 15.—A young Berlin physician, Dr. Ludwig Feinberg, has made an important discovery of independent animal organism in cancer growth, says a London correspondent. This discovery, he says,

there and carries with him the best wishes of a host of friends hereabouts.

Miss Ellender Wilson of Martin, Tenn., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Harry W. Gleaver, at 418 North Seventh street. Miss Wilson formerly lived in Paducah, where her father, Rev. G. W. Wilson, was pastor of the Broadway Methodist church, and has many friends to welcome her. She is a graduate of Randolph-Macon college, Virginia, and is very charming and bright.

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We are showing quite an attractive line of fancy silk and wool skirts. A very neat, dressy skirt, made of good quality black taffeta, well-lined with percale; cut with stylish flare, trimmed with ruching and cording effect. The best value ever offered—for \$8.50.

Very handsome silk skirts, with drop lining, made of heavy taffeta, with full circular flounce set on with band of fancy silk and fancy ruching on bottom. Full width and well finished—\$10.50.

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Very extensive line of hearth-size rugs in all grades. Moquettes at \$1.00, \$2.55, \$3.25. Smyrns at 75c, \$1.00, \$1.39, \$2.00, \$3.00. Remnant rugs in velvet Moquettes and Brussels, at 98c.

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We have a line of the prettiest spring hats we have ever had, and wish to announce that it is ready for your inspection.

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The Divining Rod.
Sir Thomas Lauder Brunton delivered a lecture before the Medico-Physiological association, in London, one day recently, in which he declared ridicule of the divining rod as an agent in discovering the presence of water underground is a mistake. He based his statements on experiments made by two extremely sensitive English-women, who had proved that, while the witch hazel plant, commonly used as a divining rod, did not itself contain any qualities influenced by water, it was valuable in giving signs of the involuntary muscular motion in the human being produced by the presence of water in the vicinity of the experimenter. The scientist cited the camel in the desert, which detects water miles away, and asked: "Why may not the human organism involuntarily detect its presence a few feet away and impress the fact on the divining rod?"

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Easter Suits

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At the First Christian church, south east corner of Seventh and Jefferson streets—Rev. F. G. Tyrrell of St. Louis will preach at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "A Crown of Thorns;" evening subject, "The Conquest of the World." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Junior Endeavor at 2:30 p. m., Senior Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon there will be three services in three separate departments of the church. In the main auditorium a service for men only, all over sixteen years of age. Mr. Tyrrell will speak, subject, "Heathenism of Sex." In the Senior Sunday school room a service for women led by Mrs. Williamson of Waverly, Ill.; subject, "A Great Woman." In the Junior Sunday school room Mr. Williamson will have charge of a meeting for boys and girls under sixteen years of age. Mr. Williamson desires each boy and girl to bring a string just as long as he or she is tall. He will also organize a chorus, to sing at the evening service, of boys and girls from nine to sixteen.

The usual services may be expected at the First Presbyterian church, corner Seventh and Jefferson streets, by the pastor, Rev. W. E. Cave, D. D., tomorrow at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., Mr. L. M. Rieke, superintendent. Sunday school at Mizpah Mission at 2 p. m., Mr. Geo. B. Hart, superintendent. Sunday school at Hebron Mission at 2:30 p. m., Mr. J. D. Moquet superintendent. Mr. Geo. B. Hart will conduct services at Mizpah Mission Sabbath night at 7:30 o'clock.

Gospel services at Union Rescue Mission, 431 South Third street, every night at 7:30. Special rally Sunday night. We cordially invite you to be with us and help us to sing the old-time songs and worship God. The workers are busy every day looking after those in need. We have a handsome bright boy for some good family to raise. Apply at the Mission Hall. We are praying and working for a great revival in Paducah.

R. W. Chiles, Pastor.

First Cumberland Presbyterian church, J. C. Reid pastor—The pastor will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; evening subject, "Where Are the

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Services will be conducted at the German Evangelical church as follows: Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. German preaching at 10:30. English at night at 7:30. All members urged to be present. Strangers are heartily invited. B. F. Wulfman.

Rev. J. G. Bow, D. D., of Louisville will preach at the Second Baptist church at 11 and 7:30. The members and friends are urged to be present and hear two fine sermons from one of the ablest preachers in the state.

Evangelical Lutheran church, South Fourth street.—No German preaching here. Sunday school at 9 a. m. and English preaching at 7:30 p. m.

J. H. Rupprecht, Pastor.

MR. GUY RANDALL WORSE.

Mr. Guy Randall's condition is much worse today and his brother, Mr. Chas. Randall who is now in Baring Cross, Ark., has been telegraphed and will arrive in the city as soon as possible to be at his bedside.

R. W. Chiles, Pastor.

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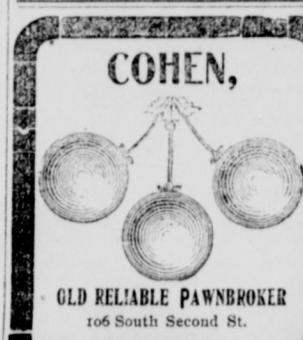
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